HOUSE RESOLUTION No. ___

Introduced by:	Turner, T. Harris

A HOUSE RESOLUTION to honor the Oak Hill girls' basketball team on a terrific season.

Whereas, the Oak Hill Lady Eagles had a basketball season that was the thing of dreams-perhaps even, the greatest season in the history of Grant County girls' basketball;

Whereas, Something magical occurred when this line-up of talented, hard-working and poised young athletes came together to achieve a common goal - a state championship for Oak Hill High School;

Whereas, The Lady Eagles soared through their regular season of play, winning most games by a decisive margin;

Whereas, Going into the 2006-2007 season, the Lady Eagles had not even claimed a sectional title, but now, the team has garnered both sectional and regional titles for two consecutive years;

Whereas, With great anticipation, the Lady Eagles entered

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the IHSAA 2A Championship Game undefeated with a record of 26-0;

Whereas, The challenge was great, as the team would have to conquer 2A two-time defending champion and number 1 state-ranked Heritage Christian in order to clench the state title:

Whereas, While Oak Hill suffered a heart-breaking loss in the championship match up against Heritage Christian, the team could hold their heads high after a season of stellar performances;

Whereas, Coach Todd Law and his assistant coaches Sarah Matthews and Marc Planck could not be more proud of the team's success;

Whereas, The Oak Hill Lady Eagles can count all of the following among their achievements in the 2007-2008 season: IHSAA Class 2A State Runner-ups; Semi-State Champions; Regional and Sectional Champions for the second consecutive year; Central Indiana Conference Champions for the third consecutive year; Grant Four Champions for the second consecutive year; Ranked #2 in the final state poll- the highest in school history; Best record in school history with a season of 26-1, and many other Oak Hill records;

Whereas, The Oak Hill Lady Eagles varsity team included #11-Brittany Berry, #15-Courtney Moses, #21-Lauren Meese, #23-Allison Holt, #25-Lorrie Newhouse, #31-Heather Hicks, #33- Marissa Coolman, #35-Alyssa Warren, #41-Kristen Hicks, #43-Ashley VanSkyock, #45-Ashley Pickering, and #51-Rachel Winger:

Whereas, As the majority of the Lady Eagles will be returning students next year, the future looks bright for continued success;

Whereas, The Oak Hill Lady Eagles are a source of pride and inspiration to their school, their community, and their state: Therefore,

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Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives congratulates the Oak Hill Lady Eagles on a record-setting year and wishes the young women of the team the very best of luck in their future pursuits.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Coach Todd Law and to Oak Hill High School.

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